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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of : October 26, 2005
M. Kawahito, et al : Group Art No.: 2122
Serial No. 10/085,455 : Examiner: C. Pham
Filed: February 27, 2002 : IBM Corporation
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Title: PROGRAM OPTIMIZATION METHOD
AND COMPILER USING THE
PROGRAM OPTIMIZATION METHOD

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated July 26, 2005 for the above-identified patent application, Applicants submit a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), a Change of Correspondence Form, and the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments which begin on page 9.

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